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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of:

APPLICANTS: Vance et al.) ART UNIT: 3671

SERIAL NO.: 09/855,792) EXAMINER: Raymond W. Addie

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THE HONORABLE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS

Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

The applicant herewith petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated 11/05/02 for 1 month from 02/05/03 to 03/05/03. Submitted herewith is a check for \$55.00 to cover the cost of the extension.

Respectfully submitted,

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